

2.1. LIST OF ACRONYMS

AC – Advisory Committee

ASMFC – Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission

BMP – Best Management Practice

CHPP – Coastal Habitat Protection Plan

COE – United States Army Corp of Engineers

CPI – Consumer Price Index

CPUE – Catch Per Unit Effort

CRC – North Carolina Coastal Resources Commission

CRFL – Coastal Recreational Fishing License

DCM – North Carolina Division of Coastal Management

DEH - North Carolina Department of Environmental Health

DEHNR - North Carolina Department of Environment, Health and Natural Resources

DENR – North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources

DMF – North Carolina Division of Marine Fisheries

DO – Dissolved Oxygen

DWQ- North Carolina Division of Water Quality

EFH – Essential Fish Habitat

EMC – North Carolina Environmental Management Commission

EPA – United States Environmental Protection Administration

FDA – United States Food and Drug Administration

FMP – Fishery Management Plan

FRA – Fishery Reform Act